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Holbrook News





Year 1 are STARS!

What a way to finish a half term of learning than 3 assemblies from Year 1 that were out of this world! The pupils really showed off their learning with their showcase assemblies and what they have learned about Space. As headteacher it makes me proud to see how the children have grown in confidence over their time with us and the support from my staff. They pupils sang, danced and acted brilliantly and I was very impressed with the loud, clear voices that they used. I am hugely proud of how well each class has performed and best of all I still have one assembly to watch before the end of term. Well done Year 1.



This week has also seen an awesome art showcase by Year 4, it was lovely that parents could come on and joining in the fun and learning that is taking place in school, a huge thank you to the Year 4 team for making this happen and we look forward to more of these events this year.

We wish you all a happy half term and hope that you have an enjoyable time. If you do get the opportunity, please don't



forget to hear your child read and share stories together! This will help keep reading skills sharp while extending vocabulary ready for their return to school. Have a lovely holiday and I look forward to hearing what you have done when you return on Monday 24th February.

Mrs Bills





Sports Report



It was a real pleasure to take out two teams to very different competitions this week as all the children really showed off Holbrook BEST as well as the school games values.

The Year 3 & 4 Girls football team played 4 back to back matches. The first few matches were very narrow losses and the girls kept improving each match. They never let their spirits drop and despite being very tired in their final match managed to secure a 3—0 win!

Year 5 had three teams in a Hado event— that can be likened to dodgeball but it is augmented reality so virtual laser blasts and shield can be used! The teams had a great time, the pupils from 5E even managed to win their pool and make it to the final play offs, finishing 3rd over all!

Well done to everyone for representing the school so well.



Holiday Information

The last day of this half term is

Friday 14th February

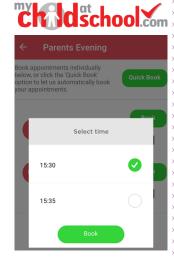
and school will re-open on

Monday 24th February

Easter Holiday's start on
Saturday 12th April
and school will re-open on
Monday 28th April

Parents' Evening

Monday 7th April
Tuesday 8th April



Parents' Evening is always a really valuable way for school, parents and carers to foster their work in partnership for the benefit of the children's learning.

The appointments will be going live over Half term on the My Child at School APP so please make sure you book your appointments to get the time slot that suits you best.







MOTHER LANGUAGE

Parents, would you like to get involved with our Mother Language Day? Celebrate International Mother_ Language Day

Friday 28th Febuary 2025

Do you have a mother language that you are fluent in?

We are looking for some parents to celebrate Mother Language Day with us by reading stories in their home language.

If this sounds like something you would like to do, contact Mrs Fernando or Mrs Pahal so they can take down your name and language.

Afterschool Clubs

After half term all the after school clubs will continue, however we already know that we will have a cancellation. Reminders will be sent out and it will be on the My Child at School APP, however please note:-

Friday 28th February

All Clubs Cancelled.

"I'm bored!"

In Coventry we are really lucky to have some excellent Museums. Over the half term holiday many hold activity sessions for only a small fee.

The Herbert Art Gallery is being inspired by fables and mythical beasts Myths and is holding a range of drop in activities between 10:30-3:30 each day



https://www.theherbert.org/whats-on/1847/craftingmagic-myths

Coventry has a fine history within the car industry and you can find out more at the Transport Museum, If you pick the right day for a visit there are a few workshops on.



Driving curiosity



https://www.transport-museum.com/events?t=next_week